

**IN THE U. S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Christina NASLUND, et al. Conf. 7963

Application No. 10/537,174 Group 3643

Filed: December 28, 2005 Examiner Son T. NGUYEN

Title: SADDLE FOR HORSEBACK RIDING

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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January 12, 2009

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, dated December 12, 2008, attached is a modified version of the Amendment filed on November 17, 2008. The Amendment differs solely as to the LISTING OF CLAIMS Section which has been corrected to include missing claims 1-5 and claim 21 has been written in independent form to include the text of cancelled claim 6. No new matter has been added.

Consideration on the merits is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future submissions, to charge any deficiency or

credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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